

'Miss Ada Looney made trip to Vancouver..'

From a 1908 LaCamas Post:

Miss Ada Looney made a trip to Vancouver Saturday.

A dredger is at work near the dock, cleaning out the harbor.

Mayor Harrington, who has been in poor health for several months, is feeling much better, and has again resumed his place with the mill company.

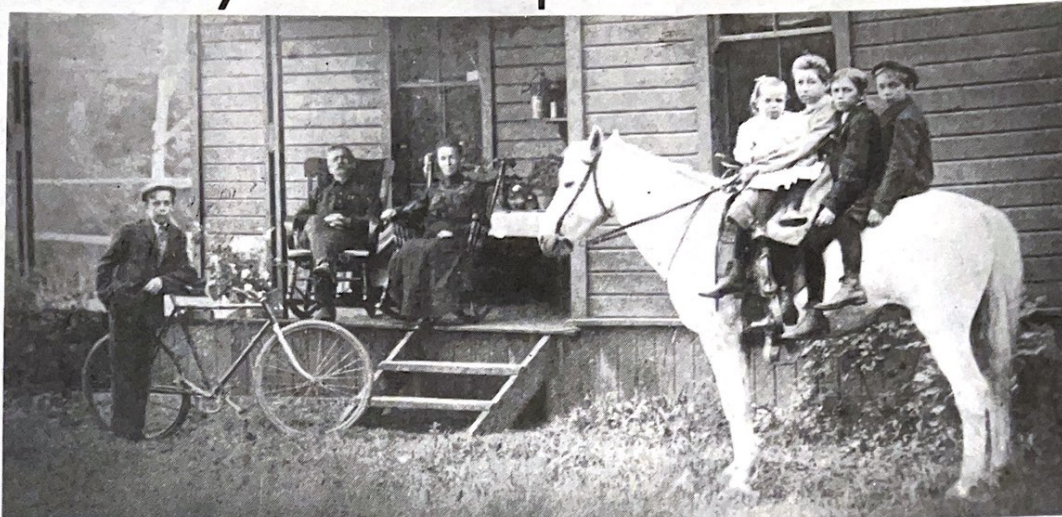
Bids for constructing a trestle on Columbia street near O'Brien's were opened at the city clerk's office Wednesday, and the contract was awarded to Chas. Lawrence for \$45.

Councilman Litz believes the city should make some provision for fire protection on the hill. He believes that a small chemical or some other apparatus should be provided for that section.

Ralph Crane, a laborer, was arrested here by Marshal Warren Monday evening on a charge of stealing a pair of shoes. He was arraigned before Justice Self and pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail. Marshal Warren took the man to Vancouver Wednesday morning. Crane worked here a week or two ago, and when he left a pair of shoes belonging to a fellow laborer disappeared. Monday Crane returned and was wearing the shoes in question. A row ensued at the camp, and the marshal arrived just in time to prevent a fight. He took Crane in charge and the man who lost the shoes made the complaint.

The registration books of the city and of Columbia precinct are now open at the office of the city clerk.

A basket social was given for the Baptist church Wednesday evening, and receipts were more than \$150.00.



A TYPICAL family portrait of its time, this one, taken in July 1905, shows the Tidland clan in front of their home at Lackamas Lake. All surnamed Tidland, family members are, from left, Edward H., Louie E., Annie, Bart Louis, Josie, Charles A. and Chester W.

Jack Kelly, who worked for several months in McDowell's barber shop, was in town this week greeting his many friends. He is now located in Woodland, where he has a shop.

The Munyon Bakery Company is preparing to install new and up-to-date equipment in the near future. The oven will have a capacity of 1,200 loaves a day. This bakery is now turning out a superior quality of bread and other pastry, and the demand for its goods is growing rapidly.

A laborer, named Hale, who was working on the tramway, was struck by a cable Friday of last week and was thrown to the ground several feet below. He was unconscious several hours, but has now considerably improved, although it is reported he will be some time in

recovering.

The new road to the dock is almost completed.

As an evidence that this town is rushing we might point to the fact that W. C. Warren, of the Hotel Stoller, is keeping 150 people steadily, to say nothing of the transients.

The P & S depot in this city is nearly completed. It is 40x76 feet. There will be five or more tracks here which indicates that the company expects some business in this city. It is reported that a mixed train, that is, a freight train with a passenger coach attached will be run between Portland and Cape Horn commencing shortly after the first of February.

Work on the railroad bridge across the Washougal river is now progressing very satisfactorily. For a time considerable difficulty was experienced in pumping the

water out of the dams to begin the work on the piers. H. Mathison, who has charge of the Grant Smith Co's work on the concrete piers, says that with good luck they will be completed in six weeks.

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Mr. G. A. Young, proprietor of the Next barber shop was married last Tuesday.

A slide occurred Wednesday at the steam shovel, burying the shovel and causing a man to break his leg.

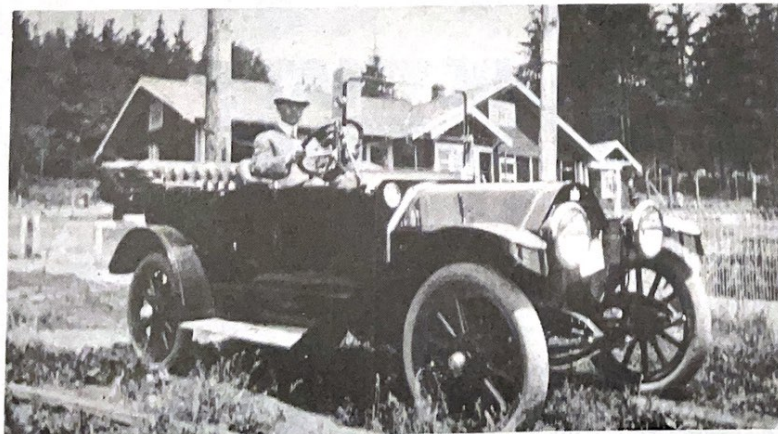
A party in honor of the Misses Bertha and Emily Webber was given in the Grange Hall Saturday night.

Wm. Fraser made a trip to Camas Saturday night.

Mr. Gerrish, the popular piano salesman, was in town recently.



A CAMAS GIRLS' basketball team, circa 1911, included (1) Bessie Collard, (2) Alice Wright, (3) Maude Blake, (4) Alice Asher, (5) Edith Spicer and (6) Vera Harrington (way in back).



O. F. JOHNSON, organizer of Camas' first bank, proudly poses behind the wheel of his spanking new "Imperial," the second automobile in Camas. This was about 1914. The Johnson home, now occupied by his daughter and her husband, the Rev. and Mrs. Ezra Ellis, is shown in the background.